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For: TIRE AND TREAD COMPRISING A)	
BIS-ALKOXY-SILANE)	
TESTRASULFIDE AS COUPLING)	

AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 19, 2005, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows: